FOREIGN POSTAL SERVICE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., POST OFFICE NOTICE. Should be read daily, as changes may occur at any time.

FOREIGN MAILS are forwarded to the ports of sailing daily, and the schedule of closings is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transit. For the week ending February 1, 1902, the last connecting closes will be made from the MAIN OFFICE as follows:

TRANSATLANTIC MAILS.

WEDNESDAY—(c) At 9:15 P.M. for FRANCE, SWITZERLAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT, GREECE, BRITISH INDIA and LORENZO MARQUEZ, per s.s. La Champagne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Champagne." (c) At 11:25 P.M. for ITALY direct, per s.s. Columbia, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Columbia."

FRIDAY—(c) At 11:25 P.M. for NETHERLANDS direct, per s.s. Amsterdam, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Amsterdam." (c) At 11:25 P.M. for EUROPE, per s.s. Umbria, from New York, via Queenstown. (c) At 11:25 P.M. for SCOTLAND direct, per s.s. Anchoria, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Anchoria."

MAILS FOR SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA, WEST INDIES, ETC.

WEDNESDAY—(f) At 10:30 A.M. for the BAHAMAS, per steamer from Miami, Fla. (c) At 11:25 P.M. for JAMAICA, per s.s. Admiral Sampson, from Philadelphia. (c) At 11:25 P.M. for CAMPECHE, CHIAPAS, TABASCO and YUCATAN, per s.s. Monterey, from New York. Mail for other parts of MEXICO must be directed "Per s.s. Monterey." (c) At 11:25 P.M. for BERMUDA, per s.s. Trinidad, from New York.

THURSDAY—(d) At 6:20 A.M. for BRAZIL, per s.s. British Prince, from New York, via Pernambuco and Santos. Mail for NORTHERN BRAZIL must be directed "Per s.s. British Prince."

FRIDAY—(c) At 11:25 P.M. for PORTO RICO, per s.s. San Juan, from New York, via San Juan. (c) At 11:25 P.M. for CURACAO and VENEZUELA, per s.s. Zulia, from New York. Mail for SAVANILLA and CARTAGENA must be directed "Per s.s. Zulia." (c) At 11:25 P.M. for FORTUNE ISLAND, JAMAICA, SAVANILLA, CARTAGENA and GREYTOWN, per s.s. Athos, from New York. Mail for COSTA RICA must be directed "Per s.s. Athos." (c) At 11:25 P.M. for ARGENTINE, URUGUAY and PARAGUAY, per s.s. Sailor Prince, from New York.

SATURDAY—(f) At 10:30 A.M. for the BAHAMAS, per steamer from Miami, Fla.

Mails for NEWFOUNDLAND, by rail to North Sydney and thence via steamer, close here daily, except Sundays, at 12:00 M., and on Sundays only at 11:30 A.M. The connecting closes are made on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. (d) (h)

Mails for MIQUELON, by rail to Boston and thence via steamer, close here daily, except Sundays, at 12:00 M., and on Sundays at 11:30 A.M. (d) (f)

CUBA mails close here via Port Tampa, Fla., Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:33 P.M. (b)

Mails for MEXICO overland, unless specially addressed for dispatch by steamers sailing from New York, close here daily at 10:30 A.M. and 10:00 P.M.

Mails for BELIZE, PUERTO CORTEZ and GUATEMALA, by rail to New Orleans and thence via steamer, close here daily at 10:30 A.M. and 10:00 P.M., the connecting closes being on Mondays.

Mails for COSTA RICA, by rail to New Orleans and thence via steamer, close here daily at 10:30 A.M. and 10:00 P.M., the connecting closes being on Tuesdays.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS.

Mails for AUSTRALIA (except West Australia, which are forwarded via Europe), NEW ZEALAND, FIJI, SAMOA and HAWAII, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 1, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. Sierra. (o)

Mails for AUSTRALIA (except those for West Australia, which go via Europe, and NEW ZEALAND, which go via San Francisco) and FIJI ISLANDS, via Vancouver, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 1, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. Moana. Mail must be directed "Via Vancouver." (o)

Mails for *CHINA, JAPAN, HAWAII and ‡PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 2, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. China. (o)

Mails for TAHITI and MARQUESAS ISLANDS, via San Francisco close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 4, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. Australia. (o)

Mails for *CHINA and JAPAN, via Seattle, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 5, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. Iyo Maru. Registered mail must be directed "Via Seattle." (o)

Mails for HAWAII, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 10, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. Alameda. (o)

Mails for *CHINA, JAPAN, HAWAII and ‡PHILIPPINE ISLANDS via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 10, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. Doric. (o)

Mails for *CHINA and JAPAN, via Vancouver, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to February 18, inclusive, for dispatch per s.s. Empress of China. Registered mail must be directed "Via Vancouver." Merchandise for the U. S. Postal Agency at Shanghai cannot be forwarded via Canada. (o)

*Mails for COCHIN CHINA are dispatched to New York for connection with European steamers.

‡PHILIPPINE ISLANDS (military mail), dispatched to San Francisco at all closes for that office, to connect with government transports, the sailings of which are irregular.

REGISTERED MAILS close at the MAIN OFFICE as follows: (b) At 1:00 P.M. same day; (c) at 8:00 P.M. same day; (d) at 5:00 A.M. same day; (f) at 1:00 P.M. previous day; (h) at 12:00 P.M. previous Saturday; (k) at 8:00 P.M. previous day; (o) at 6:00 P.M. previous day.

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Yale Declines.

As was to be expected, Yale has declined the invitation sent by the Naval Academy eight for a race at Annapolis with Pennsylvania, Harvard and Georgetown. President Potter of the Yale navy last night said that Yale had challenged Annapolis to a dual race and would send down to Annapolis last year's freshman crew if the middies accept. The date named by Yale is May 10.

HEBREWS IN RUSSIA.

They Are Again Being Harassed by Government of the Czar.

Correspondence of the London Standard.

The Jews in Russia are again being harassed with renewed rigor, by order, presumably, of the government, since oppressive measures are not confined to any one place. I have already noted the order about Jewish stage people of all classes being prevented from moving freely about the country in pursuit of their profession. This measure took the form of a published order to apply the clauses of the law relating to Jews under which such action could be taken. But there are other means of making things uncomfortable for the race, which Russians hate, because they fear them more even than Germans or Poles. I do not merely refer to the endless trouble and hindrances made in the matter of changing and duly entering passports in the police books. This is a process which is simple, or almost impossibly difficult, according to the idiosyncracies of the acting official of the time or place. But interpretations are being put upon laws which common sense, to say nothing of a sense of justice, hardly warrant. For example, the law allows Jews who, before the anti-Jewish campaign of ten years ago, had secured the rights of "first guild merchants" to reside in the capitals, St. Petersburg or Moscow. Unhappily, the law did not expressly say that a Jew merchant had the right to trade. Therefore, if a Moscow Jew merchant wishes he may go to St. Petersburg, and he may even live there, but on no account may he trade there. If he dies, his wife and children are immediately "cleaned out" (the expression "cleaned out" is significant of the point of view, and is used in official papers), and compelled to go to the Jewish "pale" or other place whence they originally came to the capital.

As a general rule, increased persecution of Jews in Russia signifies that certain of the authorities are being made uneasy by various carefully hidden and extremely unpleasant occurrences of a more or less revolutionary nature, and the Jew is a convenient scapegoat for all parties. There have certainly of late been quite enough incidents in various parts of the empire to disturb the minds of those responsible for the policy of ruling Russia after the methods of half a century ago, and, as usual, the Jew is being made to suffer. Of course there is some foundation for the charge that the Jews are more or less mixed up in every movement of a secret, and possibly dangerous, nature. But, then, the Jew is in Russia, together with the Armenian, the one man who can be found to enter upon new undertakings, whether of a good or bad nature. The Russian is lethargic and unenterprising. Naturally, therefore, not only in revolutionary movements, so-called, but in every other form of activity known in Russia, the Jew is represented, and, having no friends, is a convenient anvil for every official hammer.

A New Woman's Rights Problem.

From the London Daily Graphic.

The French feminists continue to draft plans for the social advantage of their sex. They still demand that marriage shall not entail the sacrifice of their maiden names, but that Miss Brown—to take a concrete example—shall continue to be called Brown after, and in spite of, her union in the bonds of matrimony with Mr. Smith; and the Parisians are now exercising their ingenuity upon the question, What, in such a case, would be the proper appellation of the children? The suggestion that they should be called after their fathers and mothers alternately in alternate weeks has already been dismissed as unpractical; and the suggestion that they should weld the names of their two parents into a double-barrelled name is also fraught with inconvenience. With the passage of the years the time would naturally come when a little Brown-Smith would marry a little Jones-Robinson, and for the use of their children not a double-barrelled, but a four-barrelled name would be required, and so on, in geometrical progression, to names of such a length that it would be impossible to engrave them on brass plates or print them on visiting cards, or even get a servant to announce them correctly at a dinner party.

Hauptmann a Nomad.

From the Critic.

It is not generally known that Gerhardt Hauptmann, the young German dramatist, is a confirmed nomad. Loving nothing more than work and the quiet of family life, he yet finds it impossible to remain long in any given place. Wherever he elects to reside he must have his own house, and if none proves suitable he thinks little of building according to his tastes and whims. In rapid sucession Herr Hauptmann has established himself near Schreiberhau among his beloved Silesian Alps, at Grunewald, in the environs of Berlin, at Aguetendorf, and, some months since, he again moved, settling this time in Dresden. It now appears that Herr Hauptmann has just completed a fantastic residence at Blasewitz on the Elbe, not far from the Saxon capital. The ornamental features of this new structure are all inspired by motifs from "The Sunken Bell." On the capitals, in the tympani, and dotted about the roof are carved figures of "Nickelmann," "Rautendelein," and the wood sprites who gave such color to the most poetic and profoundly symbolical drama since "Peer Gynt." It is futile to speculate whether or not Herr Hauptmann will be content to remain here in the latest version of his fancy, from the windows of which he daily watches the sweep of the river, the heights of the Pillnitz, and the towers of Albrechtsburg. He may stay or he may go, but in any even this restless spirit seems just now to hold in his keeping the future of the German drama. He alone of all his colleagues, has proven that he has the courage to fail as well as to succeed.

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McLain, F. A., Miss., The Varnum.
McRae, T. C., Ark., 1342 13th st. n.w.
Mercer, D. H., Neb., 1303 Roanoke st.
Metcalf, V. H., Cal., The Arlington.
Meyer, Adolph, La., 1700 Q st. n.w.
Mickey, J. R., Ill., 1330 Columbia road.
Miers, R. W., Ind., Riggs House.
Miller, Jas. M., Kan., 1201 Q st. n.w.
Minor, E. S., Wis., 49 D st. s.e.
Mondell, F. W., Wyo., 1402 21st st. n.w.
Moody, J. M., N. C., The National.
Moody, M. A., Oregon, The Shoreham.
Moody, W. H., Mass., 1136 17th st. n.w.
Moon, J. A., Tenn., 519 4th st. n. w.
Morgan, S. R., Ohio, 206 Delaware ave. n.e.
Morrell, E. De V., Pa., Corcoran building.
Morris, Page, Minn., 1120 Vt. ave. n.w.
Mudd, S. E., Md., The Ebbitt.
Mutchler, Howard, Pa., The New Willard.
Naphen, H. F., Mass., The Shoreham.
Needham, J. C., Cal., 107 Md. ave. n.e.
Neville, Wm., Neb., The National.
Nevin, R. M., Ohio, The Cochran.
Newlands, F. G., Nev.
Norton, J. A., Ohio, The Raleigh.
Olmsted, Marlin E., Pa., 1758 N st. n. w.
Otey, P. J., Va., The Oxford.
Otjen, Theo., Wis., 227 N. J. ave. s.e.
Overstreet, J., Ind., Ebbitt.
Padgett, L. P., Tenn., The Varnum.
Palmer, H. W., Pa., The Normandie.
Parker, R. W., N. J., 1501 Mass. ave.
Patterson, G. R., Pa., 1745 Q st. n.w.
Patterson, M. R., Tenn., The Metropolitan.
Payne, S. E., N. Y., The Normandie.
Pearre, G. A., Md., 1623 H st. n. w.
Perkins, J. B., New York, 1908 Q st. n.w.
Pierce, R. A., Tenn., National.
Polk, Rufus K., Pa., The Cumberland.
Pou, Edward W., N. C., The Metropolitan.
Powers, L., Me., New Willard.
Powers, S. L., Mass., 1461 R. I. ave.
Prince, Geo. W., Ill., 1211 Princeton st.
Pugsley, Cornelius A., N. Y., New Willard.
Randell, C. B., Tex., The National.
Ransdell, J. E., La., The Cairo.
Ray, G. W., N. Y., 702 10th st. n.w.
Reeder, W. A., Kan., 520 Bst. n. e.
Reeves, Walter, Ill., Dewey.
Reid, C. C., Ark., The Metropolitan.
Rhea, J. S., Ky., 924 19th st. n.w.
Rhea, W. F., Va., 13 1st st. n.e.
Richardson, J. D., Tenn., 1103 6th st. n.w.
Richardson, W., Ala., The Riggs.
Rixey, J. F., Va., 1748 P st. n.w.
Robb, Edward, Mo., The Varnum.
Roberts, E. W., Mass., The Hamilton.
Robertson, S. M., La., The Fairfax.
Robinson, J. M., Ind., The Driscoll.
Robinson, J. S., Neb., 123 11th st. n.e.
Rodey, B. S., New Mexico, The Savoy.
Rucker, W. W., Mo., 2146 Pa. ave. n.w.
Rumple, J. N. W., Iowa, The Hamilton.
Ruppert, Jacob, N. Y., The New Willard.
Russell, C. A., Conn., The Hamilton.
Ryan, W. H., N. Y., 922 14th st. n.w.
Salmon, J. S., N. J., The Cairo.
Scarborough, R. B., S. C., The Metropolitan.
Scott, C. F., Kans., The Driscoll.
Selby, T. J., Ill., 2 6th st. n.e.
Shackleford, D. W., Mo., The Varnum.
Shafroth, J. F., Col., 1346 Yale st.
Shallenberger, A. C., Neb., 323 2d st. s.e.
Shattuc, W. B., Ohio, Cochran.
Sheldon, Carlos D., Mich., The Riggs.
Sheppard, J. L., Tex., 1119 K st. n.w.
Sherman, J. S., N. Y., The Normandie.
Showalter, J. B., Pa., 1523 N. H. ave.
Sibley, J. C., Pa., 1321 K st. n.w.
Sims, T. W., Tenn., Varnum.
Skiles, W. W., Ohio, The Normandie.
Slayden, J. L., Texas, 1631 R st. n.w.
Small, J. H., N. C., The Varnum.
Smith, M. A., Ariz., The Shoreham.
Smith, D. H., Ky., The Riggs.
Smith, H. C., Mich., The Dewey.
Smith, G. W., Ill., 1313 Columbia road.
Smith, Wm. Alden, Mich., 1524 18th st. n.w.
Smith, S. W., Mich., 1012 13th st. n.w.
Smith, W. I., Iowa, The Hamilton.
Snodgrass, C. E., Tenn., The Varnum.
Snook, J. S., Ohio, The Varnum.
Southard, J. E., Ohio, The Hamilton.
Southwick, G. N., N. Y., The Normandie.
Sparkman, S. M., Fla., The Metropolitan.
Spight, Thos., Miss., The Varnum.
Sperry, N. D., Conn., The Buckingham.
Stark, W. L., Neb., 321 2d s.e.
Steele, George W., Ind., The Dewey.
Stephens, J. H., Texas, 1825 I st. n.w.
Stevens, F. C., Minn., The Cairo.
Stewart, J. F., N. J., The Gordon.
Stewart, J. K., N. Y., The Normandie.
Storm, F., N. Y., The New Willard.
Sulloway, C. A., N. H., The Varnum.
Sulzer, Wm., N. Y., 131 B st. s.e.
Sutherland, Geo., Utah, The Ebbitt.
Swanson, C. A., Va., 1825 19th st. n.w.
Talbert, W. J., S. C., The National.
Tate, F. C., Ga., The National.
Tawney, J. A., Minn., Riggs House.
Taylor, G. W., Ala., 1013 P st. n.w.
Tayler, R. W., Ohio, 1309 Roanoke st. n.w.
Tirrell, C. Q., Mass., The Normandie.
Thayer, J. R., Mass., The Normandie.
Thomas, Lot, Iowa, The Riggs.
Thomas, C. R., N. C., The Riggs.
Tompkins, A. S., N.Y., The Normandie.
Tompkins, Emmett, Ohio, The Dewey.
Thompson, C. W., Ala., The Hamilton.
Tongue, T. H., Oregon, 1503 R. I. ave. n.w.
Trimble, South, Ky., The Riggs.
Underwood, O. W., Ala., Cochran.
Vandiver, W. D., Mo., 1323 R. I. ave. n.w.
Van Voorhis, H. C., Ohio, The Dewey.
Vreeland, E. B., N. Y., The Dewey.
Wadsworth, J. W., N. Y., The New Willard.
Wanger, I. P., Pa., 1217 Vt. ave. n.w.
Warner, V., Ill., The Cairo.
Warnock, W. R., Ohio, The Cochran.
Watson, J. E., Ind., The Driscoll.
Weeks, E., Mich., 924 14th st. n.w.
Wheeler, C. K., Ky., The Colonial.
White, J. B., Ky., 1017 P st. n.w.
Wilcox, R. W., Hawaii, 1807 H st. n.w.
Wiley, A. A., Ala., The Hamilton.
Williams, J. R., Ill., 236 Del. ave. n.e.
Williams, J. S., Miss., 125 E st. n.w.
Wilson, F. E., N. Y.
Woods, S. D., Cal., 316 East Capitol street.
Wooten, D. G., Tex., The Riggs.
Wright, Charles F., Pa., The Gordon.
Young, J. R., Pa., 1331 Corcoran st.
Zenor, W. T., Ind., 213 N. Capitol.

Alex. McDowell, Clerk, The Dewey.
Henry Casson, Sergeant-at-arms, 214 New Jersey avenue southeast.
W. J. Glenn, Doorkeeper, The Dewey.
W. J. Browning, Chief Clerk, 146 E. Cap. st.
Jos. C. McElroy, Postmaster, 214 A st. s.e.
H. N. Couden, Chaplain, 32 B st. n.e.

Danger in Too Much Study.

From Leslie's Weekly.

A writer in the Medical Record sounds a wise and timely note of warning in regard to dangers of rushing young children too rapidly through their studies. He declares that our modern educational system is greatly at fault in laying too much stress upon examinations, and in developing the minds of children too often at the expense of their vitality and health. The stress of modern education, he says, has enormously taxed the brains of children by the multiplicity of studies. Children cannot assimilate the ideas in widely differing departments of knowledge at one and the same time. The effort to do so deranges in many instances the entire nervous system of the child. The so-called nervous child is not only not normal, but may be the victim of the educational methods of the present day.

HOW CORAL INSECTS BUILD

A PROBLEM THAT LONG WAS A POSER TO NATURALISTS.

The Solution Offered by Darwin Seventy Years Ago Now Commonly Accepted.

From the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Among all the varied productions of living nature none can perhaps vie in respect of interest with those of the coral animal. From our boyhood's days we have been accustomed to read of coral islands, but it is to be feared that many of the descriptions given of these structures in the tales we pored over in our youth must be ranked more as successful ventures in the line of fiction than in that of actual science. Yet the scientific side of the story of coral is quite as wondrous in its way as anything which the fertile brain of the story writer is able to conceive.

Every one is familiar, from a visit to a natural history museum, with the general appearance of coral. There are, of course, very many different species of structures included under this common name. We see great masses of stony hardness assuming fantastic shapes, and constituting in their way veritable rocks. Others are of a more delicate description and may assume the form of miniature organ pipes, while the red coral itself, so much valued for the manufacture of articles of jewelry, represents the opposite extreme from the course limy masses referred to. I may explode at the outset an erroneous idea regarding the red coral. This coral is practically confined to the Mediterranean sea and grows in a small tree-like form. The idea that islands formed of red coral exist is a piece of pure fiction, and those corals which more especially concern us here as the builders of reefs are represented by the coarse, stony masses familiar in museums, but also often used in the construction of grottoes and ferneries.

Not an Old Discovery.

It is not so very long ago in the history of science that coral was discovered to be the work of an animal. The ancients regarded coral, and especially the red coral, which they knew best, as the work of the marine plant. Latin poets tell us of the coral plant, which is soft in its native waters, but becomes hard when drawn up from the sea and exposed to the action of the air. A young French student, Peyssonnel, discovered the fact that coral was a substance represented by the secretion of an animal. He described accurately enough the kind of animal which makes coral. He compared this animal to the sea anemone, which we find in every rocky hollow around our own coasts. In so doing he was perfectly correct, for the coral animal is really a kind of insect and a familiar denizen of the seaside.

There is, however, this difference between the latter and the coral animal. The former, as a rule, is a single animal; the corals are usually compound. That is to say, one coral animal gives rise to another by a process of budding, and in this way a mass of coral is seen to be the work not of one animal, but of many hundreds of thousands, produced as a kind of colony in the way just described. It is this power of increase by budding which enables corals to construct reefs of great magnitude. Possessing what is practically an unlimited power of increase, they succeed in producing enormous masses of rocky substance, and we must not forget that every coral animal has the power of producing eggs. Each egg which comes to full development settles down, gives origin to one coral animal, and, as this in turn buds like its forefathers, a new colony is thus commenced.

Carbonate of Lime.

Regarding coral itself, we find that substance to be represented by a hard carbonate of lime. The matter which we find accumulated in boilers and kettles in hard-water districts as nearly as possible represents the coral substance. The material for making this hard secretion, the possession of which also constitutes another difference from the sea anemone, is obtained from the sea water. Carbonate of lime exists in solution in the water, and the coral animals, absorbing this material from the sea, build it up in the form of their hard parts either within or without their bodies. In this way, when the coral animals themselves die they leave behind them what a poet has well called "the imperishable masonry of the sea." The power of budding is not, of course, limited to corals. We are familiar enough with it in the case of plants, but many other animals besides corals grow into colonies by the budding process.

Corals can also add to the number in a colony through another process, namely, simple division of the body. We see how the body simply divided in two gives rise to two individuals, and thus adds to the numerical strength of the mass. The conditions under which corals live and grow are very simple. They may be summed up in the words—a certain heat and a certain death. The question of heat naturally settles the range of the corals in space; that is, determines their geography in the existing earth. The reef-building corals do not flourish in seas where the water is below 66 degrees or thereby of Fahrenheit. It will therefore be seen that it is only in tropical regions where we may expect to find the fullest development of coral life.

VALUE OF CONVERSATION.

A Ready Tongue Often Helps Men to the Front.

From Success.

Great and important as are the uses of conversation described by me in a former paper, there is another more practical benefit from it, of which I wish to speak in this article, namely, as a help to worldly advancement or success in life. First there is the advantage to be derived from the understandings of other men in the exercise of our own. Every man in a social circle has his strong point—his special subject, on which he is at home and better qualified to speak than any one else. No individual, however acute or strongminded, can sift and probe to the bottom of a subject so effectually as the minds of many men converged on it and looking at it from different points of view.

Daniel Webster, who, if any man could do so, might have trusted his own unaided judgment in forming an opinion or deciding a question, had, nevertheless, great faith in the aid to be derived from conversation. "In my education," he once said to Charles Sumner, "I have found that conversation with the intelligent men I have had the good fortune to meet has done more for me than books ever did; for I learn more from them in a talk of half an hour than I could possibly learn from their books. Their minds, in conversation, come into intimate contact with my own mind, and I absorb certain secrets of their power, whatever may be its quality, which I could not have detected in their books. Converse, converse, converse with living men face to face, and mind to mind—for that is one of the best sources of knowledge." The great English philosopher, John Locke, held a similar view. When asked how he had contrived to amass such an amount of knowledge as he possessed, he replied that he attributed what little he knew to his not being ashamed to ask for information, and to a rule he had adopted of conversing.

Schools as Social Centers.

From the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Public school buildings will become social centers and will be used for lectures, musical entertainments and similar gatherings if the recommendations adopted by the school management committee at its meeting yesterday afternoon are approved by the board of education. The subject came before the committee in a report from Superintendent of Schools Cooley, and the suggestions made by him were adopted after a brief discussion. In his report Superintendent Cooley recommended that the school buildings be opened free of charge for the following purposes, subject to such rules as may be made by the board of education: Meeting of teachers for educational purposes, annual graduation exercises, one alumni meeting each year, meetings of students of schools for musical or literary exercises approved by the principal of the school in which the entertainment is to be held, lectures of the William H. Ryder fund, the two entertainments already authorized in each school and the opening of the public school buildings after regular school hours to individuals or organizations for such purpose as have a distinctive educational value.